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Dear Ms Hesse:

I am writing to express support for the proposed settlement between the Department of Justice and Microsoft Corporation.

I have been watching this case carefully particularly over the past few years and am ready for the case to be settled. It has been quite clear to me that the case has been competitor driven rather than in the best interests of consumers. Oracle, AOL and ProComp have used this trial as a forum for their consistent bellyaching about Microsoft's prowess---all at taxpayer expense.

I understand that the purpose of this exercise is to help determine whether this settlement is in the best interest of the public. Considering the state of our economy can best be described as dismal, and this case has been eating up our tax dollars for the past 10 years, a settlement can only be a win-win situation for us all.

Sincerely,

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